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SUBJECT: SECOND POLITICAL "PARTY"

1. EMBASSY HAS REPORTED ANNOUNCEMENT BY EGYPTIAN LAWYER SHURBAGI THAT HE HAS ESTABLISHED POLITICAL "PARTY", AND ACTION WHICH MAY BE ILLEGAL (CAIRO 802). GUMHURIYYA ANNOUNCES JANUARY 28 THAT ANOTHER LAWYER, MUHAMMAD ABD AL-RAHIM 'ANBAR, HAS ANNOUNCED FORMATION OF A SECOND PARTY TO BE CALLED SOCIALIST DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

2. RESPONSIBLE SOURCE AT ASU IS QUOTED BY GUMHURIYYA AS COMMENTING THAT NATIONAL UNITY LAW PREVENTS FORMATION OF PARTIES "ACCORDING TO ARTICLE V OF CONSTITUTION."

3. COMMENT: NATIONAL UNITY LAW OF 1953, SHURBAGI CONTENTS, MERELY BANNED EXISTING POLITICAL PARTIES.
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